



Application No. 10/813,973

Attorney Docket No. PA030012

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Frank Dumont
Serial No.: 10/813,973
Filed : March 31, 2004
For: Video Apparatus With A Receiver and Processing Means
Examiner: Trang U Tran
Art Unit: 2622

Preliminary Amendment

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination. The Preliminary Amendment responds to the Final Office Action dated September 21, 2007, for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending December 21, 2007 was set in which to respond and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a two month extension, ending February 21, 2009, is hereby requested. The following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

Please charge the required fee of four hundred sixty dollars (\$460.00) for extending the time for a response within the second month after the original response date, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) to Deposit Account 07-0832.

In view of the attached RCE, this response is considered timely.

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